



PRESS STATEMENT

23rd May 2019

The Punya Foundation U.S. is deeply saddened to know that one of our board members, Padam Rizal, is no longer with us. He was one of the founding board members and served complete two years at the Foundation before he was appointed as an advisor to Pennsylvania Governor last year.

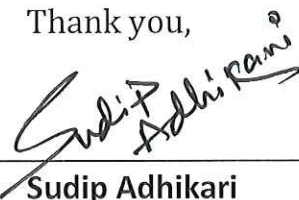
While at Foundation, he led a team to register and successfully obtain 501(C) status from Internal Revenue System. He also contributed drafting several working guidelines including the Foundation's bylaws.

Mr. Rizal was a dedicated community hero. The Foundation shall forever remember his contributions, insights and abundant resources.

At this hour of grief, the entire Foundation team (US, Australia, Nepal and Canada) would like to extend the heartfelt condolences to the Rizal family.

May his departed soul rest in peace in haven!

Thank you,



Sudip Adhikari

President

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